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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: THREAT TO YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR'S LIFE

REF: STATE 236872, 235941

1. ON OCTOBER 26 YUGOSLAV EMBASSY RECEIVED LETTER FROM "COMITE OF LIBERATION OF JUGOSLAVIA" (SIC) DEMANDING RELEASE OF MIHAJLO MIHAJLOV BY OCTOBER 26, AS FIRST DEADLINE, OR OCTOBER 30, AS LAST DEADLINE. LETTER THREATENED TO "RESPOND BY ARMED FORCE AGAINST ALL YOUR MISSIONS" UNLESS EMBASSY ACCEDED TO ULTIMATUM.- LETTER WAS ADDRESSED TO AMBASSADOR GRANFIL, WRITTEN IN SERBO-CROATIAN, AND POSTMARKED NEW YORK CITY. COPIES OF ORIGINAL AND TRANSLATION ARE BEING POUCHED.

2. YUGOSLAV EMBASSY IGNORED ULTIMATUM AND NO RPT NO FURTHER THREATS HAVE BEEN REPORTED.

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3. EXECUTIVE PROTECTION SERVICE MAINTAINED FIXED POST
AT EMBASSY CHANCERY THROUGH OCTOBER 30 AND IS CURRENTLY
PROVIDING "INTENSIFIED SPECIAL PROTECTION", I.E.
FREQUENT CHECKS BY VEHICLE AND PATROLMEN ON FOOT.

4. FBI IS INVESTIGATING THIS MATTER INCLUDING QUESTION
OF ORIGIN OF THREATENING LETTER. INGERSOLL

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